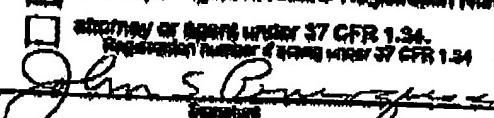


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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) | | Patent Number (Optional) | |
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| FY 2005 (Case number is not required if application is filed under 37 CFR 1.136(a)) | | 331235-00021 | |
| Application Number 10/696,894 For Automated Package Shipping Machine | | Filing Date October 30, 2003 | |
| Art Unit 3629 | | Examiner Traci L. Smith | |
| This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. | | | |
| The requested extension time and fee are as follows (check the period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | One month (37 CFR 1.17(e)(1)) | Fee | Small Entity Fee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Two months (37 CFR 1.17(e)(2)) | \$450 | \$225 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Three months (37 CFR 1.17(e)(3)) | \$1020 | \$510 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(e)(5)) | \$2160 | \$1080 |
| Fee \$ 60.00 | | | |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. | | | |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-1214. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this form. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Please enter card information on PTO-2038. | | | |
| I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor. 50-1214 <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. <small>Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/08).</small> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number <u>31,051</u> <u>31,051</u> <input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. <small>Registration number of attorney under 37 CFR 1.34</small> | | | |
|  <u>John S. Papageorgis</u> Signature <u>ON</u> <u>1/15/06</u> Type or print name | | | |
| <u>5/30/06</u> Date (312) 902-5200 Telephone Number | | | |
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| <small>2. Total of forms are submitted.</small> | | | |
| <small>3. Declaration of inventorship or assignment of rights (see 37 CFR 1.36(d)). The declaration is enclosed in either of forms 37 CFR 1.36 or 37 CFR 1.37. The declaration is being filed in either of forms 37 CFR 1.36 or 37 CFR 1.37.</small> | | | |

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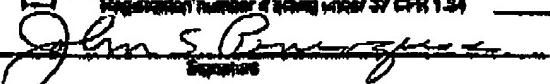
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| FY 2006 (This petition is in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 136.) | | 331235-00021 | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Nine months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(9)) | \$1,080 | \$505 | \$ _____ |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Eleventh months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(11)) | \$1,320 | \$615 | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Twelfth months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(12)) | \$1,440 | \$670 | \$ _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. | | | |
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|  John S. Papineau <small>Signature</small> | | 5/30/06 2006 (312) 902-5200 | |
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